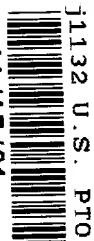


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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

For (Title): A METHOD FOR 3D OBJECT-SCANNING

By (Inventors): Ernst-Ludwig FLORIN; Heinrich J.K.HÖRBER and Ernst H.K. STELZER

- ☒ 36 pages of Specification/Claims 1-65/Abstract are attached.
☒ Formal drawings (Figs. 1-4; 4 sheets) are attached.
☒ A Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.
☐ An assignment of the invention to _____ is attached, along with Form PTO-1595 and a check for \$40.00.
☐ An Information Disclosure Statement is attached, along with Form PTO-1449, and _____ reference(s).
☐ This application is entitled to Small Entity Status.
☒ A Preliminary Amendment is attached.
☒ Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence --This nonprovisional application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/249,282, filed November 17, 2000. --
☐ Priority of foreign application No. _____ filed _____ in _____ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.
☐ A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application is attached.

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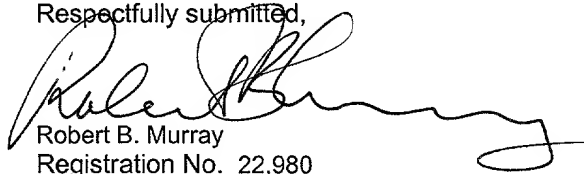
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